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In re the Application of
K. Hara et al.

Serial No.: 09/831861

Filed: 08/06/2001

For: RESIN CASE PROVIDING
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The Applicant requests two months' extension of time to
respond to the Official action of February 28, 2003, so that
the deadline for response is extended from May 28, 2003 to
July 28, 2003. Our check in the amount of \$410 for the
extension fee is enclosed along with our response. Please
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Respectfully submitted,
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